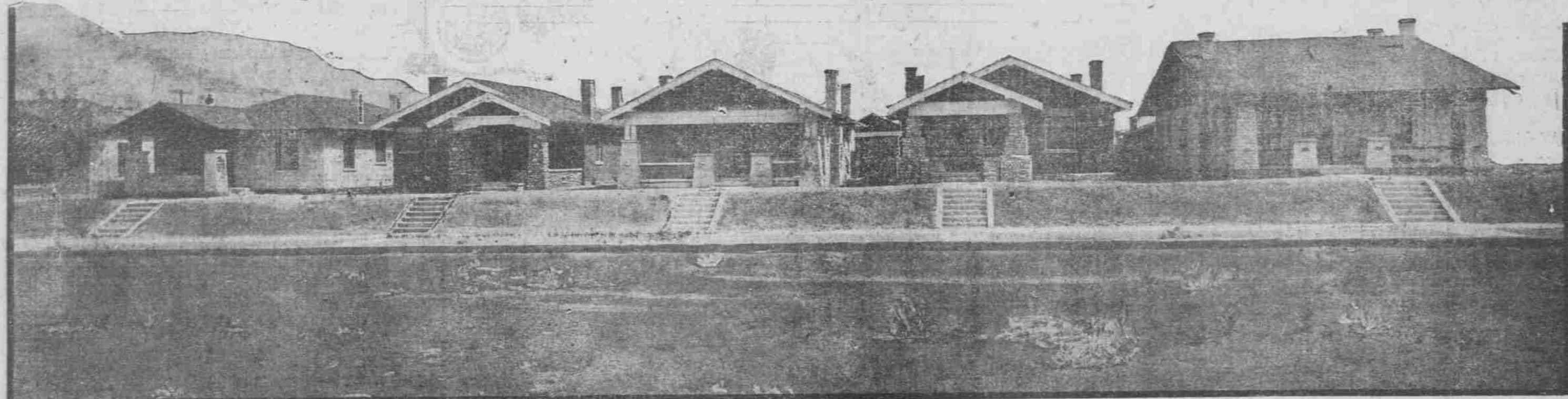


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MINING NEWS

RENEWS WORK IN OLD INCLINE SHAFT

Copper Queen Begins New Line of Development; Shattuck Attracts Attention.

Bisbee, Ariz., Sept. 24.—Working under a new campaign mapped out for the properties, the Copper Queen mines are doing a large amount of new development. At the old incline shaft, immediately above the postoffice, restoration work is in progress to bring this working, more into activity. It can be used to tap a good deal of valuable territory from which there is to be drawn more liberally of gold, silver lead ore, running well in copper.

At the Junction shaft of the A. C. a fine roadway is being made with the work of getting surface equipment back in position over the new concrete of the shaft. This work will be finished probably during the present week, several days in advance of first expectations. With the surface equipment restored, Junction shaft will be ready for service to the 1500 level. Expectation is that concentrating of the remaining 300 feet of the shaft below the 1500 will then be taken up. The pipe with which the cement mixture was handled from the surface in the first 1500 feet of the work has been removed from the shaft, leaving it all clear, and the concentrating below the 1500 it is said will be carried on with deliveries of the mixture from that level down. Donkey engine outfit being employed.

Concerning the C. & A. in the Ajoa, there is no room left for doubt as to the intention of the company to exercise its bonds and options there in the first part of October, when they expire. This is based upon the statement of Peter Ruppe, C. & A. director, when he said that the properties measured up to and beyond best expectations, and would certainly be taken over. Mr. Ruppe believes that in the Ajoa properties the C. & A. is attaining some of the greatest copper lands that have ever come into the possession of a copper mining company and that the ore will not only make a much

higher average in copper contents than has been anticipated by the public, but that mining and reduction costs will be the lowest under steam shovel extraction and advanced reduction methods that have ever been attained. While the explorations of the ore area have been going on in the Ajoa there have been experiments underway at the Douglas smelter of the company which are perhaps entitled to still greater consideration from a general viewpoint. Having for their original purpose the determination of means for the handling of low grade ores with profit, these experiments are understood to have worked out a chain of other results. The full meaning of these findings has not yet been given out, but it is known that there have been things demonstrated which in their later development will bring to the advantage of Bisbee and Douglas, in particular, the greater realization of industrial activities than have been anticipated.

The Copper Queen smelter has also been working upon the problems presented by low grade ore. Shipments of the low grade for the purpose of this investigation have been going to the smelter for some time. The output of Copper Queen mines for August made splendid showing, leading any previous month of the year and being the important factor in sending copper output of the Phelps Dodge company above the figures of any previous month of the year. The gain over July was more than one million pounds. The showing for that first eight months of the year has also been the greatest in the history of the company over a like period, totaling 100,795,648 pounds. It is in the output of the low grade for the company for any eight month period ever crossed the 100,000,000 pound mark. The gain over the same period of last year was about 6,000,000 pounds. Notwithstanding the situation in Mexico, Mochizuma has had a few shares thrown on either side may readily produce results. However, the physical condition of the property is at this time the best in its history.

Shattuck Attracts Attention. Activity of Shattuck in the market the last week has directed a good deal of attention to the property. Its stock has always moved in a narrow way and below seven cents for the company has readily produced results. However, the physical condition of the property is at this time the best in its history. Shattuck is able to ship very high grade material to smelter without robbing its reserves, and it is getting more of the high grade all of the time. Its average in copper and its returns from lead-silver ore have brought the cost of copper production below seven cents for the company the last few months. These costs will be further reduced when the increase in ore shipments to Douglas next month double the tonnage of the past, and the shipments of lead silver ore to

El Paso are also doubled. These shipments will go to 150 tons per day, very likely as soon as the new contract is closed with El Paso smelter for the treatment of this character of ore. In the mining division, the latest the Shattuck has had to give out has been in association with the \$90 level, where their efforts have met with more success than had been anticipated. The ground is looking exceedingly good in all respects. Crosscut 17 went into the high grade copper ore two weeks ago and is still there. The ore is a cuprite carbonate in an iron gangue. Cuprite is considered a good sign of the permanency of the ore. This strike on the \$90 level will also be developed from the \$90 level in due time.

LARSEN HAS ORE ASSAYING \$50,000

Strike Near Aguilera, Ariz., Is One of Most Remarkable in the State; Field Is Rich Ore.

Aguilera, Ariz., Sept. 24.—Samples taken from a ledge recently discovered by L. W. Larsen 20 miles south of Aguilera, assay \$50,000 a ton in gold. The find is the most sensational ever made in this district. All over the section where Larsen made his discovery the mineral conditions are peculiar. There are thousands of little veins that carry gold values, and they parallel the main vein for many miles. It is believed that at a depth these stringers must come together and make a big vein rich in gold.

Larsen is scarce through that region and little development work has been done. Larsen and his partner, J. W. Martin, have a group of claims in the same locality, from which they shipped four tons of ore that netted \$94,650 a ton. Twelve miles south of Aguilera is the Pump mine, which has been worked for 30 years. Several hundred thousand dollars have been extracted by working the ore in an adit and the Golden Hill, 20 miles away. The shaft is down 300 feet and the values are still there. The Sunset property, 17 miles south-west of Aguilera, has been worked for 30 years. Several hundred thousand dollars have been extracted by working the ore in an adit and the Golden Hill, 20 miles away. The shaft is down 300 feet and the values are still there. The Sunset property, 17 miles south-west of Aguilera, has been worked for 30 years. Several hundred thousand dollars have been extracted by working the ore in an adit and the Golden Hill, 20 miles away. The shaft is down 300 feet and the values are still there.

STATE TO INTERVENE IN WORLD FAIR SUIT

Frank Powers and Wife, the Owners of the Mine, Ask to Have the Assessment Set Aside.

Phoenix, Ariz., Sept. 24.—On behalf of the state, the tax commission will intervene in the suit that has been filed in the superior court of Santa Cruz county to have the assessment of the World's Fair mine set aside. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powers are the owners.

It is alleged in the complaint that the tax commission violated the law and made the assessment on the mine. It is admitted that the assessment was recommended by the commissioners, but they claim that they had ample authority. Other allegations are that the assessment is arbitrary, unconstitutional and void. Another claim is that unpatented mining claims should be assessed as real estate, not as personal property, as the new mine tax law provides.

MINES NEAR CUTTER SELL FOR \$12,000

Cutter, N. M., Sept. 24.—The Saint Lawrence mines in San Andreas mountains, owned by John Latham, of this place, have been sold to Chris Harris for \$12,000. The new owner expects to begin developing the property at once.

It is reported that E. Hickok has refused some good offers for his group of copper mines, discovered a short time ago near Ward ranch in the Caballo mountains.

HICKOK MINE FIRE DOES HEAVY DAMAGE

Engle, N. M., Sept. 24.—A fire at the Hickok Copper mine camp in the San Andreas mountains, destroyed the company office building and the Macey Gardner residence.

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RICH ORE FOUND IN CLIMAX MINE

So Valuable Is Discovery, Ore Is Sacked Instead of Being Shipped Loose.

Prescott, Ariz., Sept. 24.—Rich gold ore has been struck in the Climax mines, on the Hassayampa river. The exact values have not been made public, but the ore is so rich that it is being sacked for hauling to the plant, only a short distance away. Instead of being sent through the chute in the loose state. Over 100 sacks have been taken out. The ore body is large and was encountered in one of the tunnels that is being driven through virgin ground. Its extent has not been determined. Store details are being anxiously awaited because the strike is regarded as the most important that has been made in Arizona since the rich body of ore was struck in the Commercial mine.

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From one of the claims near Prieta station, west of Prescott, George Uhl is taking out ore that pays \$100 a ton in gold. The vein is in a big porphyry dike and is well defined. Two shafts have been sunk on the vein, one 70 feet deep and the other 60 feet. The ore streak is from four inches to two feet in width. Some ore has been shipped about 100 tons of the ore. The ore is running as high as \$55 a ton in gold have been returned upon specimens.

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